



UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL (only for new nonprovisional applications under 35 CFR 1.53(b))

Docket No: 97-014 D1

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Box Patent Application Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is a request for filing a [] continuation [X] divisional [] continuation-in-part application under 37 CFR 1.53(b), of pending prior application serial no. 09/343,825, filed on 7/30/99 for Talc Antiblock Composition and Method of Preparation for Donald Kendall Drummond.

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En	clos	ed is/are:						
1.	x	A complete and true copy of the prior application, including the declaration as						
		originally filed						
2.	х	Other:						
3.	х	The filing fee is calculated below:						
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Enclosed is/are:								
1.		A complete original of the application, 29 total pages						
2.		Drawings (11 total pages)						
3.		New assignment and declaration						
4.		Other:						
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CLAIMS AS FILED IN THE PRIOR APPLICATION INCLUDING ANY CLAIMS CANCELED OR ADDED BY AMENDMENT BELOW:

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Total Claims	_ 12	- 20 =	0	\$18.00	0.00
Independent Claims	3	- 3 =	3	\$78.00	0.00
Multiple Dependent	Claim(s) (if a	+ \$260.00	0.00		
				Basic Fee	760.00
				TOTAL	760.00

3. X The Commissioner is requested and authorized to treat any concurrent or future Reply, requiring a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 for its timely submission, as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time and as an authorization to charge all required fees under § 1.17 on Applicant's Deposit Account No.13-3639. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

4.	A check in the amount of \$	is enclosed.
5.	Cancel in this application original of the prior application before calcuoriginal independent claim must be	lating the filing fee. (At least one
6. <u>x</u>	Amend the specification by insertingThis is a x divisional USSN 09/343,825, filed	g before the first line the sentence: continuation-in-part application of 6/30/99, status allowed
7.	Transfer the drawings from the price	r application to this application
8.	New formal drawings are enclosed.	
9. x	The application is assigned to Mine	rals Technologies Inc.
10. x	The power of attorney in the applic Marvin J. Powell, Reg. No. 29,840	ation is to:
11. x	J	9, Minerals Technologies Inc., One Highland
12. <u>x</u>	have been properly numbered conse	ed. (Claims added by this amendment ecutively beginning with the number next following in the prior application.) Any new claims have lation.
13. x	I hereby verify that the attached pap of Serial No. <u>09/343,825</u>	ers are a true copy of prior application
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